IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT FOR THE DISTRICT OF SOUTH CAROLINA ANDERSON/GREENWOOD DIVISION

United States of America)	Cr. No. 8:01-462-HMH
)	
VS.)	
)	OPINION & ORDER
Alonzo Marvin Brown, Jr.,)	
)	
Defendant.)	

This matter is before the court for a determination of whether the Defendant qualifies for a sentence reduction pursuant to Amendment 706 to the United States Sentencing Guidelines ("U.S.S.G."), effective November 1, 2007, and deemed retroactive March 3, 2008. U.S.S.G. App. C. Amend. 706 (Nov. 1, 2007). The court has reviewed the record in this case including the Defendant's Presentence Investigation Report. Based on this review, the court has determined that the Defendant is not eligible for a reduction in his sentence pursuant to 18 U.S.C. § 3582(a) because he is a career offender. Therefore, the Defendant's pro se motion for a reduction in his sentence based upon Amendment 706 is denied.

IT IS SO ORDERED.

s/Henry M. Herlong, Jr. United States District Judge

Greenville, South Carolina October 8, 2008

NOTICE OF RIGHT TO APPEAL

Movant is hereby notified that he has the right to appeal this order within ten (10) days from the date hereof, pursuant to Rule 4 of the Federal Rules of Appellate Procedure.